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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	<u>SEALED INDICTMENT</u>
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- v. -	:	14 Cr. 287
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ANDREW HECHT,	:	
MATTHEW MACKSON, and	:	
GREGORY SCOTT,	:	
	:	
Defendants.	:	
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COUNT ONE

The Grand Jury charges:

1. In or about December 2013, in the Southern District of New York and elsewhere, ANDREW HECHT, MATTHEW MACKSON, and GREGORY SCOTT, the defendants, and others known and unknown, unlawfully and knowingly did combine, conspire, confederate, and agree together and with each other to commit robbery, as that term is defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(b)(1), and would and did thereby obstruct, delay, and affect commerce and the movement of articles and commodities in commerce, as that term is defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(b)(3), to wit, HECHT, MACKSON, and SCOTT, and other individuals, known and unknown, planned and facilitated an armed robbery of an employee of a store on State Route 32 in the Town of Newburgh, New York.

(Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951.)

COUNT TWO

The Grand Jury further charges:

2. On or about December 28, 2013, in the Southern District of New York, ANDREW HECHT, MATTHEW MACKSON, and GREGORY SCOTT, the defendants, unlawfully and knowingly did commit robbery, as that term is defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(b)(1), and did aid, abet, counsel, command, induce and procure its commission, and did thereby obstruct, delay, and affect commerce and the movement of articles and commodities in commerce, as that term is defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(b)(3), to wit, HECHT and MACKSON robbed an employee of a store on State Route 32 in the Town of Newburgh, New York, and SCOTT facilitated the robbery.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951 and 2.)

COUNT THREE

The Grand Jury further charges:

3. On or about December 28, 2013, in the Southern District of New York, ANDREW HECHT, MATTHEW MACKSON, and GREGORY SCOTT, the defendants, during and in relation to a crime of violence for which they may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, namely, the robbery conspiracy charged in Count One of this Indictment, knowingly did use and carry a firearm, and, in furtherance of such crime, did possess a firearm, and

did aid and abet the use, carrying, and possession of a firearm, which was brandished.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1)(A)(ii) and 2.)

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

4. As the result of committing the robbery offenses in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951, as alleged in Counts One and Two of this Indictment, ANDREW HECHT, MATTHEW MACKSON, and GREGORY SCOTT, the defendants, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461, all property, real and personal, that constitutes or is derived from proceeds traceable to the commission of the offense, including, but not limited to, a sum of United States currency representing the amount of proceeds obtained as a result of the offenses.

Substitute Assets Provision

5. If any of the property described above as being subject to forfeiture, as a result of any act or omission of the defendants:

a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;

b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;

c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;

d. has been substantially diminished in value; or


e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty;

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendants up to the value of the forfeitable property.

(Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C);
Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461)



Foreperson



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INDICTMENT

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(18 U.S.C. §§ 1951, 924(c)(1)(A)(ii),
and 2.)



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